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5 MAR 1957

MEMORANDUM FOR: Comptroller

FROM : Acting Chief, Technical Accounting Staff,  
Office of the Comptroller

SUBJECT : Employees' Compensation Benefits - Medical Benefits  
for Dependents

REFERENCE : Book Dispatch No. 184, dated 13 February 1957, to  
Chiefs of Station and Base, from Director of Personnel

1. Pursuant to your request we have reviewed the reference book  
dispatch and submit the following comments:

a. Under date of 2 November 1956, proposed [REDACTED]  
Medical Benefits for Dependents, were submitted to this Office  
by the Office of Personnel for comment and concurrence. In our  
reply, dated 7 November 1956, we indicated concurrence in the  
notices with a few minor changes suggested.

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b. The reference dispatch is almost verbatim to the proposed  
[REDACTED] except for the provisions in the dispatch concerning  
Form No. 1126, Claim for Dependent Medical Care. At the time the  
proposed notices were being considered a form of claim had not  
been developed.

2. It may be with experience that Form No. 1126 might require  
modification, as it is noted that it is not in such form as to serve as  
a payment document as well as a claim form from the employee.

3. We have no objection to the reference book dispatch pending  
the development of regulations on this subject, at which time the desir-  
ability of modifying the claim form, as mentioned above, can be given  
consideration.

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